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CHINESE SEEDS

Wild Fruits, Nuts

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Evergreens, Ornamentals

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U. S. Department of Agriculture

Forest and Shade Trees.

We Specialize in Seeds
of

Pyrus colleryana

Castanea henryii, *Castanea mollissima*

Ulmus parvifolia

Ulmus pumila.

SHI PING CHI & CO.

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Correspondence Address

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Federal Horticultural Board Permits

Federal Horticultural Board Permits must be secured for all seeds to be imported into the United States. Requests for such permits should be addressed to the Horticultural Board, Washington, D.C. If shipment is to come by parcel post, request should be made to have the F.H.B. Inspection at San Francisco, otherwise shipment will be forwarded to Washington. Inspection at San Francisco saves considerable delay and adds greatly to the desirability of parcel post shipments. Request one permit shipping tag for each ten pounds of seed ordered.

Parcel Post Shipment

We send shipments of any quantity by parcel post only. The limit of weight of parcels is 22 pounds. The cost to any part of the United States from Shanghai is approximately 14 cts. Gold. In securing F.H.B. Permits, the importer should state clearly that the order is to come by parcel post. The use of parcel post makes it

possible for us to forward various seeds as soon as they are collected. We, therefore, send shipment by parcel post only.

Quotations

All quotations are in gold and on the basis of f.o.b. Shanghai.

Terms

Cash, or "Commercial letters of credit" must accompany all orders, unless the party ordering has an account *

Payment is due promptly on receipt) of invoice

Order Early

Order as early as possible in the case of wild Fruit seeds this is particularly important.

Guarantee

Every possible care is taken in collecting, cleaning, storing, packing and shipping our seeds, but we cannot guarantee the condition of the seeds upon arrival.

*We agree to assume the cost of obtaining the commercial letter of credit.

List of Chinese Seeds

Wild Fruits

		Ripening Date	Prices in U.S. Gold	Per lb.	Per 10 lbs.
<i>Amygdalus davidiana</i>	(Wild Peach)	Aug.	.35	3.00	
<i>Diospyros kaki</i>	(Wild Persimmon)	Nov.	1.00	9.00	
<i>Diospyros lotus</i>	(Wild Persimmon)	Nov.	.80	7.50	
<i>Morus alba</i>	(White mulberry)	May	2.00	17.50	
<i>Prunus tomentosa</i>	(Mountain cherry)	June	.80	7.50	
<i>Pyrus calleryana</i>	(Wild Pear)	Oct.	7.00	65.00	
<i>Pyrus ussuriensis</i>	(Wild Pear)	Sept.	7.00	65.00	
<i>Zizyphus jujube</i>	(Chinese date)	Sept.	1.50	12.50	

Nuts

<i>Castanea henryii</i>	Sept.	.40	3.20
<i>Castanea mollissima</i>	Sept.	.25	2.00
<i>Ginkgo biloba</i>	Sept.	.25	2.00
<i>Juglans Regia var chinensis</i>	Oct.	.25	2.00

Evergreens

	Ripening Date	Prices in U.S. Gold Per lb.	Per 10 lbs.
<i>Cinnamomum camphor</i> (Camphor)	Oct.	.75	6.00
<i>Ilex cornuta</i> (Chinese Holly)	Dec.	2.00	
<i>Juniperus chinensis</i>	Dec.	1.50	
<i>Ligustrum lucidum</i> (Evergreen Privet)	Nov.	.25	2.00
<i>Photinia serrulata</i> (Chinese grave tree)	Dec.	1.50	
<i>Thuya orientalis</i>	Sept.	.70	6.00

Ornamentals, Forest and Shade trees

<i>Sophora japonica</i> (Pagoda tree)	Nov.	.50	4.00
<i>Firmiana simplex</i> (Sterculia plotanifolia)	Nov.	.50	4.00
<i>Thea oleifera</i> (Camellia chinensis)	Nov.	.75	
<i>Thea sinensis</i> (Tea plant)	Nov.	.40	
<i>Ulmus parvifolia</i>	Oct.	1.00	9.00
<i>Ulmus pumila</i>	May	1.50	12.00

Service

We will collect for you Chinese Seeds which are not in our list if a satisfactory arrangement is made.

